

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN ADJUSTMENT OF RATES OF EQUITABLE)	CASE NO.
GAS COMPANY, INC.)	92-326

O R D E R

This matter arising upon request of Equitable Gas Company, Inc. ("Equitable Gas") filed November 12, 1992 for confidential protection of employee salaries filed in response to the Attorney General's Data Request No. 3. The request is deficient in that it does not conform to the requirements of 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7.

807 KAR 5:001, Section 7, provides the procedure for obtaining confidential protection of information filed with the Commission. That regulation requires the person requesting confidential protection to file a petition setting forth the grounds upon which it relies and attaching edited copies of the information with the information sought to be protected obscured for inclusion in the public record. Equitable Gas has not complied with the requirements of the regulation and its request should be denied.

This Commission being otherwise sufficiently advised,

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. The request to protect as confidential Equitable Gas's responses to the Attorney General's Data Request No. 3, Attachment H, be and is hereby denied.

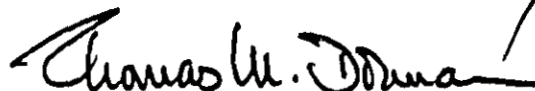
2. The information sought to be protected shall be held and retained by this Commission as confidential and shall not be open for public inspection for a period of 20 days from the date of this Order to allow Equitable Gas to file a petition in accordance with the procedure set forth in 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7.

3. If at the expiration of the 20-day period Equitable Gas has not filed a petition in accordance with the regulation, the information sought to be protected shall be placed in the public record without further Order of the Commission.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 24th day of November, 1992.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:


Executive Director